

JEWIS FIGHT MOVE FOR EVANGELIZING

Unit in Protest at Presbyterian Plan to Gather in Hebrew Converts.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Leading Jews of America united yesterday, in protest against the announced proposal of the Presbyterian Church to undertake an evangelization campaign among the Jews of this city. Through the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, a national organization of Jewish synagogues, whose New York headquarters are at 24 East Twenty-first street, they issued a statement, calling upon the Jews here and throughout the country, to reply to the attempt to convert them, by strengthening their allegiance to their own religion and supporting its institutions more vigorously than ever before.

The fact that the Presbyterian Church has nearly \$200,000 available for Jewish proselytizing while the Union is at present endeavoring to raise \$3,500,000 in ten years for a fund for revival of Judaism among Jews, is stressed in the statement, made on behalf of the Union by J. Walter Freiberg of Cincinnati, president of the Union of American Hebrew Congregation.

MRS. HARRY JAMES, Southern beauty, was in St. Moritz when she met Alexander E. Elsmann, wealthy engineer. While chatting she told him she had just received word of a divorce from her husband, Harry James, wealthy cotton man. Mr. Elsmann proposed on the spot, and the wedding date set for Thanksgiving Day.



Interested in books? Authoritative reviews of the latest publications as well as news of the book world, appear on the magazine page of the Washington Times.

DEATH 'LOSING OUT,' STATISTICS SHOW

Mortality Rate in U. S. Lowest Since Government Began Keeping Records.

The death rate of the United States for 1919, 12.9 per thousand of population, was the lowest recorded for any year since the establishment of the death registration area.

In 1918 the rate was 18 per 1,000 due to the influenza epidemic. According to figures made public today by the Bureau of Census, 1,096,436 deaths occurred in 1919 in the registration area which covered thirty-three States and an estimated population of 85,148,822.

Organic diseases of the heart carried off more citizens than any other cause, 111,579 deaths being attributed to these diseases or 10.2 per cent of the entire total. The Great White Plague was next in fatalities, 106,995 losing their lives from tuberculosis. This is 9.8 per cent of the total deaths.

Believes in Aiding Movement for Restoration of Normal Market Prices.

In announcing a reduction of one cent a gallon for gasoline today, the Standard Oil Company declares that "it is inevitable that before long lower prices will be brought about by new quotations now prevailing in primary markets."

The statement says that while there has been no material relief from any of the conditions which brought about the rise in the price of petroleum products, the company believes that the process of readjustment now under way in the business world must eventually contribute to lower costs of producing and refining oil.

The Standard Oil Company believes that this movement towards a restoration of what are popularly considered normal prices should be aided by the oil industry.

MRS. HELENE MONTROSE BOURASSE was the prosecuting witness before a New York grand jury which indicted Assistant District Attorney Edwin Kilroe on a charge of felony. She accuses him of failure to press a bigamy charge against her husband.



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FIGURE BAY STATE GETTING TOO MUCH

Opposition of G. O. P. Leaders May Block Appointment of Weeks.

Latest Cabinet gossip relates to the appointment of former Senator John W. Weeks to one of the important posts in the Administration's family of advisers.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, who has been mentioned for the office of Secretary of State, is said to be anxious that Mr. Weeks, his fellow citizen of Massachusetts, be put into the Cabinet instead of himself. Senator Lodge prefers himself to remain leader of the Senate.

The cry of "Too Much Massachusetts" is being raised in opposition to the selection of Mr. Weeks. It is pointed out that Gillett of Massachusetts is speaker of the House and Lodge of Massachusetts is leader of the Senate, also that Coolidge of Massachusetts will be Vice President and presiding officer of the Senate.

COL. ALF TAYLOR is the second Republican to be elected governor of Tennessee since the civil war. He is seventy-two years old. In 1896 he was defeated for governor by his brother "Bob" Taylor in a race which attracted nationwide interest.



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\$10 TO BUY TURKEY FOR THANKSGIVING

Will Give Family of Five Good Dinner in Opinion of Dietitian.

BOSTON, Nov. 15.—Here it is—a regulation Thanksgiving turkey dinner for \$10. And this price will include a moderate-sized turkey at the present sky-high price of seventy cents a pound. For a little over \$8 one can get a good Thanksgiving dinner, with fowl substituted for the turkey. Miss Elizabeth Lewis, dietitian at the Brookline Food Centre, is authority for the facts and figures.

Miss Lewis carefully compiled every item of the expense of the annual historic feast. Here is the menu she decided upon for a family of five, including children:

THANKSGIVING DINNER.
Fruit cup of Consomme
Turkey or Fowl
Fried Potatoes (potatoes parboiled and baked with the roast)
Cauliflower (baked whole, with cream sauce)
Mashed Yellow Turnip
Cabbage and Pineapple Salad, Cream Dressing
Thanksgiving
Demi Tasse
Ice Cream
"Of course," as Miss Lewis points out, "the main concern of the dinner is the turkey. That bird sells to-day for seventy cents a pound."

PERU REFUSES U. S. GOODS.

LIMA, Peru, Nov. 15.—With quotations on the American dollar still higher, large quantities of merchandise are accumulating at the bonded warehouses here, importers refusing to pay for them at the present rate of exchange.

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